

THE HICKMAN COURIER

"THE ONE PAPER IN MOST HOMES--THE ONLY PAPER IN MANY HOMES"

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RIVER FALLING SINCE MONDAY

Continued Rises on Upper Rivers Makes Daily Fall Slight.

The river is falling. That news is the cause for a brighter look on the faces of those who have been watching the antics of the Father of Waters for the past few weeks with a feeling of anxiety and dread.

Coming to a stand here Sunday, a drop of about two or three inches has been recorded each day since Monday, when the slow process of receding began. With favorable weather conditions, the drop should assume larger proportions in the next day or two.

Despite the prediction from the meteorologist at Cairo that the crest would be reached at that point last Thursday, the river continued on its rise until late Saturday, rising here until Sunday, with a result that every record for high water at this point was broken. The previous record mark was that of the flood of 1913, and this mark was topped by several inches, and resulted in the flooding of buildings which had been built above the high water mark of that year.

Every store on Clinton street was reached by the water with the exception of Brooks' Jewelry Store, The Live Store, the Hickman Bank & Trust Company, and Dobson's. In Dobson's the highest water came in the front door to a distance of about four feet but did not seriously inconvenience business there. In some of the other business houses the sewage flooded the cellars.

The fall in the river which has occurred since Monday has taken the water out of a few of those stores which were flooded and by Saturday many of the others will be above the water.

The levees have held admirably throughout the entire high water. In some places serious weaknesses appeared, but these were immediately remedied and strengthened to prevent any break occurring. A heavy guard watched the entire levee day and night.

A prediction from the weather man that a strong wind from the northwest was to be expected Tuesday evening between five and six o'clock caused a great deal of apprehension, as a wind from that direction might be expected to play havoc with a great part of the levees in this district. The wind came according to the forecast and was of considerable intensity for a short time, and put the levees to some extent. In spite of the prediction that it would be of about twenty-four hours duration, however, it lasted for only about two hours without intensity sufficient to cause any fear for the levees.

When the river reached a stand and began to fall, many of those who had moved with their families and live stock from behind the levees returned to their homes, feeling that practically all danger from the levee was over.

A fact which is causing serious concern is the different height the water reaches here now from what it formerly did as compared with the measurement on the Cairo gauge. In 1913 the gauge at Cairo reached 54.7, while this year the gauge read 53.7 at the highest point. In spite of the fact that the gauge this year at Cairo was a foot under that of 1913, the water here reached a point several inches above the highest water mark recorded here in the 1913 flood. This difference is caused by the addition to the levee systems in this section backing the water up to a greater height in the unprotected districts.

Since the high water began to assume serious proportions hundreds of sight seers have visited Hickman to see the flood. The fact that a down-pour of rain began Saturday night at eleven o'clock and lasted practically all day Sunday, probably prevented a crowd numbering a thousand or more from visiting the city on that day. In spite of the inauspicious weather a large number came on the afternoon train Sunday and returned to their home on the night train.

In spite of the adverse conditions under which they were laboring, practically every business house in the city remained open for business throughout the entire flood. Now that the waters are receding, the merchants are removing the scaffolding built for use during the high water as fast as the water permits, and will in a few days be prepared to conduct their business in a normal way. It is thought that practically every business house in town will be free from water sufficient to do business without serious inconvenience by Saturday.

Saturday, April 1st is the tenth anniversary of the breaking of the levee, which catastrophe occurred April 1st, 1912. Let us be thankful that this same disaster has not taken place during the present high water and hope that never again will it occur.

Fred Case, of Charleston, W. Va., and Mrs. Perry Selby and Mrs. Blanche Kennedy, of St. Louis, are here visiting their parents, F. E. Case and wife. This is the first time in nineteen years all three have been at home with their parents together.

In reporting the capacity of the Mengel pump in carrying out drainage water from West Hickman last week, an error was made in stating this had a capacity of 30,000 gallons a minute, but instead it has a capacity of 3,000 gallons a minute.

Mrs. W. B. Amberg entertained the Bridge Club on last Friday afternoon at two tables. A salad course and coffee were served.

"When the Turgid Mississippi Holds Its Sway"



—Courtesy Louisville Courier Journal

371 REGISTERED IN SCHOOL BOND REGISTRATION

A total of 371 voters registered Saturday, a special registration day appointed for the bond election Saturday, April 1st. Of these 202 registered in the First ward and 169 in the Second ward. The First ward's registration was divided as follows: Women, 95; men, 107. In the Second ward: Women, 97; men, 72. Total: Women, 192; men, 179.

The registration place for the First ward was at B. S. Elliott's shop and at the court house for the Second ward. Officers for the First ward were: Jno. Weatherly and W. T. Bondurant, judges; Chas. A. Johnson, clerk; M. M. Tulloss, sheriff. The Second ward officers were: W. J. Shaw and M. M. Mills, judges; A. A. Faris, clerk; T. H. Williams, sheriff.

TAKING MOVING PICTURES OF THE HIGH WATER

Norman W. Alley, camera man of the International News Reel, of Chicago, and representing that film company in the middle west was in Hickman Monday taking motion pictures of the high water. He took about 400 feet of film here getting various scenes to be incorporated in one of the weekly news pictorials. He arrived from Chicago Monday morning and returned Monday night.

The pictures will be shown in some of the larger eastern cities today (Thursday) and will arrive at Hickman, Memphis and other southern cities in the next few weeks.

W. H. Huff writes he is getting on fine and has gained nine pounds since going to Colorado.

TWO MEETINGS AT COURT HOUSE FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a general meeting of the Health & Welfare League for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. The present terms of office expire on April 1st.

There will also be a meeting in the court room at 7:30 to discuss the school bond issue. If you favor the bond, come. If you are against the bond, come. If you do not fully understand the bond issue, do not fail to be present.

Mrs. Geo. Creedle, Cleo Creedle and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace, of Fulton, motored over Tuesday to see the high water.

Mrs. R. L. Sanders, of Nashville was the guest of Mrs. J. O. West Sunday, returning home Monday morning.

GEO. MORROW DIED TUESDAY NIGHT

George Morrow, 74 years old died on Tuesday night at the home of his niece, Mrs. A. S. Barkett, after several days' illness. Mr. Morrow, with his brother, had operated a small store in the bottoms, a few miles below here, for a number of years. He was taken to Paducah for treatment but was brought back here last Sunday night to the home of A. S. Barkett, his case being hopeless and he had been unconscious for several days. He was unmarried. Interment was had on Wednesday afternoon at the City Cemetery.

Bailey Hudleston, wife and daughter, Mildred, and Mrs. Hardeman Howard, and Miss Lillian Milner, of Fulton, were here Tuesday afternoon, the guests of friends.

VOTE ON SCHOOL BONDS SATURDAY

\$30,000 For Better School Facilities in Hickman School District.

Saturday the citizens of the Hickman School District are to decide by a special election called for that purpose whether or not school bonds are to be issued in the sum of \$30,000 for the purpose of bettering the school facilities in the district.

The conditions which make the issuing of these bonds necessary have been pointed out and carefully explained through the columns of The Courier for the past three weeks. Other points are discussed in this week's issue, and a careful study of all these articles will bring to your attention the various points arguing for the passage of this bond measure.

When we realize that whether or not we vote these bonds the school tax will be raised from \$1.25 to \$1.50, we believe no voter who can have any interest in the schools and the children of the city can fail to see that to vote the bonds will be immeasurably better than to fail to vote them.

In the former case new buildings can be erected and improvements made that will comfortably take care of the school children of the city at the present time and provide room for a growth in the attendance which we may reasonably expect in the next few years. In the latter case it will be necessary for the school board to raise the school tax to \$1.50 in order to provide funds with which to buy other buildings which will not be suitable for school work in order to take care of the children who will be in school here next year. Under the former plan Hickman will have school buildings and a school system which will compare favorably with those of neighboring towns, and of which she may well be proud. Under the other plan we will have school buildings for which it will be necessary continually to apologize, mere makeshift affairs which will typify a woeful lack of interest in the school affairs of our town. Under the second plan our system of instruction is certain to suffer, for good work cannot be expected either from teacher or pupil when both are forced to work in cramped and unsuitable quarters.

A mass meeting will be held at the courthouse Friday night at which the arguments for the school bonds will be presented, and it is hoped that all the voters will be present—those who favor the bond issue, those who oppose it, and those who have not yet made up their minds on the subject.

GAITHER JONES TO MANAGE LIVE STORE

Has Already Assumed Charge of Popular Men's Furnishing Store.

E. Dobson has bought out the interest of Harry Lynch in The Live Store, and has secured the efficient services of Gaither B. Jones, of Union City, as manager of this well established and popular headquarters for men's furnishings.

Mr. Jones is well known to the people of Hickman and this section. Until the first of the year he was connected with Mr. Dobson's dry goods and variety store, and made friends both for himself and for the store. He is an experienced salesman, prompt and courteous, and is well acquainted with the men's furnishing business.

He assumed the management of The Live Store yesterday morning, and he extends an invitation to all his friends to come in to see him.

Mrs. Jones, his estimable wife, will return to Hickman in the near future, when they will make their home here. She will probably be connected with Dobson's Popular Price Store, and Mr. Dobson is indeed fortunate to secure the services of both Mr. and Mrs. Jones, as both are not only well known and esteemed, but are most efficient in their line of work.

Assisting Mr. Jones at The Live Store is Harold Rice, who accepted a position there the first of the week.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

9:45 a. m., Sunday School, F. T. Randle, Supt.
10:45 a. m., Preaching by the pastor.
7:30 p. m., Evangelistic Service, special music.
3 p. m. Monday, Woman's Missionary Society.
7 p. m. Wednesday, Prayer Service.
3 p. m. Thursday, Ladies' Aid Society.
Amidst discouragements and when we are "hitting it hard" we need God, and the Church. Come to these services, let us worship together and "Look unto Him from whence cometh our help."
E. A. Tucker, Pastor.

SIX-O'CLOCK DINNER.

Miss Mary B. Parham entertained several of her friends last Saturday evening with a most enjoyable six o'clock dinner, at her home on Dresden road. Those present were: Misses Elizabeth DePriest and Louise McMullin, and Luby Roper, Neville Roney and Harry Crain, and Mr. and Mrs. Bolin Roney.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Adkisson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jonakin of near Union City, and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jonakin of Jordan, were here Tuesday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Jonakin.

NOTICE:

Mr. Harry Lynch has sold out his interest in The Live Store and is no longer connected with the store.

Mr. Gaither B. Jones of Union City has accepted the position as manager of The Live Store. He is a trained and experienced salesman and can always be depended upon to render prompt and courteous service.

He will be assisted by Mr. Harold Rice.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come in and visit the store under the new management, assuring you that you will receive a hearty welcome.

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Characters Taken From Life.
Topsy, of pigtailed and ebony face, who scampers obliquely through the pages of Harriet Beecher Stowe's "Uncle Tom's Cabin," lived, outside of those pages and the imagination of her creator, Black Sam, another well-known character in the book, also had a living prototype.

Both Sam and Topsy lived over half a century ago in the home of D. Howe Allen, grandfather of Arthur G. Beach, professor of English in Marietta college, whose estate was situated on what is now known as Walnut Hills, Cincinnati.

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HARRIET
and the
PIPER

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Harriet Field, twenty-eight years old and beautiful, is the social secretary of the flirtatious Mrs. Isabelle Carter, at "Crowlands," Richard Carter's home, and governess of 11-year-old Nina Carter. Ward, twenty-four years old and impressive, fancies himself in love with his mother's attractive secretary. Mrs. Carter's latest "affair" is with young Anthony Pope, and the youth is taking it very seriously.

CHAPTER II.—Presiding over the tea-party this summer afternoon, Harriet is profoundly disturbed by the arrival of a visitor, Royal Blondin. Next day, at a tea party in the city, Blondin makes himself agreeable to Nina, and leaves a deep impression on the unsophisticated girl.

CHAPTER III.

Royal Blondin went straight from Nina to the tea table, which was almost deserted now. Harriet saw him coming, and she knew what hour had come. She stood up as he reached her, and they measured each other narrowly, with unsmiling eyes.

There was reason for her paleness today, and for the faint violet shadows about her beautiful eyes. Harriet had lain awake deep into the night, tossing and feverish. She had always thought that he must come back; for years the fear had haunted her at every street crossing, at every ring of Linda's doorbell. At first it had been but a shivering apprehension of his claims, an anticipation of what he might expect or want from her. Then came a sadder time, when she told herself that she was an independent human being as well as he, that she might meet his argument with argument, and his threat with threat.

But for the past year or two her lessening thoughts of him had taken new form. Harriet had hoped that when they met again she might be in a position to punish Royal Blondin, to look down at him from heights that even his audacity might not scale.

That time, she told herself in the fever of the night, had not yet come. Her pitiful achievements, her beauty, her French and Spanish, her sober book reading, and her little attentions of fine linen and careful speech, all seemed to crumble to nothing. She seemed again to be the furious, helpless, seventeen-year-old Harriet of the Watertown days, her armor ineffectual against that suave and self-confident presence.

She had forced herself to unbind the wrappings, to look at the old wound. She had gone in spirit to that old, shabby parlor to which Linda and Fred had carried Josephine's crib late every night, and where sheet music had cascaded from the upright piano. She saw, with the young husband and wife, a fiery, tumble-head girl of fifteen or sixteen, who helped with her sister's cooking and housework, who adored the baby, who planned a future on the stage, or as a great painter, or as a great writer—the means mattered not so much that the end was fame and wealth and happiness for Harriet.

Fred had brought Royal Blondin in to supper one night, and Royal had laughed with the others at the spirited little waitress who delivered herself of tremendous decisions while she came and went with plates, and forgot to take off her checked blue apron when she finally slipped into her place.

The man had been a derelict then, a now. But he was nine years older than Harriet Field. He had had the same delightful voice, the same penetrating eyes. He had brought poetry, music, art, into the sordid little parlor of the Watertown apartment; he had helped Harriet to tame and house those soaring ambitions. She felt again those kisses that had waked the little-girl heart into passionate womanhood; she shut her eyes and pressed her hand tight against them. So young—so happy—so confident!—plunging headlong into that searing blackness.

And now Royal Blondin was back again, and she was not ready for him. She could not score now. But he could hurt her irreparably if he would. Isabelle was an indifferent mother, and an incorrigible flirt, but at the first word, at the first hint—ah there would be no arguing, no weighing of the old blame and responsibility! If there was the faintest cloud of doubt, that would be enough!

Harriet had shaken back her man of hair, had hammered furious fists together up on the dark balcony. It wasn't fair—it wasn't fair—just now, when she was so secure and happy! She had flung her arms across the railing, and buried her hot face on them, and had wept desperate and angry tears into the silken and golden tangle that shone dully in the starlight.

She did not refuse him her hand when he came to the tea table, or her eyes, and there was friendliness, or the semblance of it, in the voice with which she said his name. That he was waiting, perhaps as fearfully as she, for his cue, was evidenced by the

quick flash with which he removed the old familiarity.

"Harriet! I find you again. I've been waiting all this time to find you! I'd heard Ward speak of 'Miss Field,' of course! But it never meant you to me. I've been thinking of you all night."

"I've been thinking, too," she said, simply.

"It's after six," Blondin said with a glance about. "We can't talk here. Can you get away? Can we go somewhere?"

Without another word she deserted her seat, plucked on her hat, and picked up her gloves.

"There's a very quiet back road straight down to Crowlands," she said, considering. "We might walk."

"Anything!" he assented, briefly.

Guided by Harriet, who was familiar with the place, they slipped through the hallway, and out a side door. They had no sooner gained silence and solitude than the man began deliberately:

"Harriet, I have not thought of anything else since I came upon you yesterday, after all these years. I want you to tell me that you—you aren't angry with me. You knew—you knew how desperately I tried to find you, Harriet! What a hell I went through!"

If she had steeled herself against the possibility of his shaking her, she failed herself now. It was with an involuntary and bitter little laugh that she said:

"You had no monopoly of that, Roy."

"But you ran away from me!" he accused her. "When I went to find you, they told me the Davenports had moved away. Won't you believe that I felt terrible—that I walked the streets, Harriet, praying—praying!—that I might catch a glimpse of you. It was the uppermost thought for years—how many years? Seven?"

"More than eight," she corrected, in a somewhat lifeless voice. "I was eighteen. My one thought, my one hope, when I last saw you, in Linda's house," she went on, with sudden passion, "was that I would never see you again! But I'm glad to hear you say this, Roy," she added, in a gentler tone. "I'm glad you—felt sorry. Our going away was a mere chance. Fred Davenport was offered a position on a Brooklyn paper, and we all moved from Watertown to Brooklyn. I was grateful for it; I only wanted to disappear! Linda stood by me, her children saved my life. I was a nursery-maid for a year or two—I never saw anybody or went anywhere! I look back," Harriet said, talking more to herself than to him, and walking swiftly along in the golden sunset that streamed across the old back road, "and I wonder I didn't go stark, staring mad!"

"Don't think about it," he urged, with concern.

"No; I'll not think about it. Royal, don't think that all my feeling was for myself. I thought of you, too. I missed you. Truly, I missed what you had given my life!"

A dark flush came to the man's face, and when he spoke it was with an honest shame and gratitude in his voice that would have surprised the women who had only known him in his later years.

"You are generous, Harriet," he said. "You were always the most generous girl in the world!"

More stirred than she wished to show herself, Harriet walked on, and there was a silence.

"Linda and Fred made it hard for you?" he asked.

"Oh, no! They were angels. But of course in their eyes, and mine, too—I was marked."

Silence. Royal Blondin gave her a glance full of distress and compunction. But he did not speak, and it was Harriet who ended the pause.

"Well, that's what a little girl of eighteen may do with her life!" she said. "I have been a fool—I have made a wreck of mine!"

"You are the most beautiful woman in the world," Royal Blondin said, steadily. "You are established here, they all adore you! Why do you say that your life is a wreck?"

"I am the daughter of Professor Field," said Harriet, "and at twenty-seven I am the paid companion of Mrs. Richard Carter's daughter! Oh, well—I was happy enough to have the opportunity. What of yourself? Where have you been?"

But he was not quite ready to drop the personal note.

"Harriet, now that we have met, we'll be friends? My life now is among these people; you'll not be sorry if we occasionally meet?"

"In this casual way—no, we can stand that!" she agreed. "The fears of the night rose like mist, melted away. It was bad enough, but it was not what her inflamed and fantastic apprehension had made it. He was no revengeful villain, after all. He did not mean to harm her."

"I've been everywhere," he said, answering her question. "I made two trips to China from San Francisco. I was interested in Chinese antiquities. Then I went into a Persian rug thing, with a dealer. We handled rugs; I went all over the Union. After that, four years ago, I went to Persia and India, and met some English people, and went with them to London. Then I came back here, as a sort of press agent to a Swami who wanted to be introduced in America, and after he left I rather took up his work, Yogi and interpretive reading. 'Chitra' and 'Shoja'—you don't know them?"

She shook her head, sufficiently at ease now even to smile in faint derision.

"And what's the future in it, Roy?"

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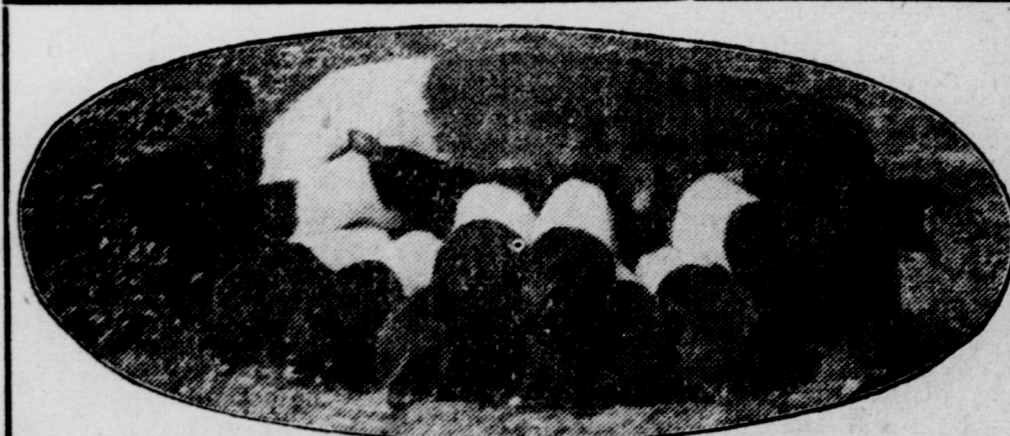
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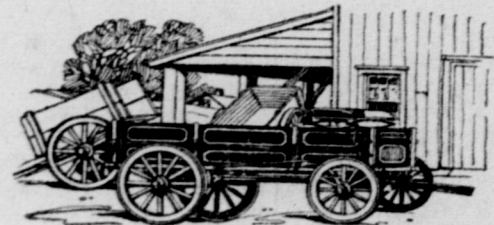
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Siamese Love Motion Pictures.

The Siamese love the "movies." They flock to Bangkok's motion picture theaters. In each of these theaters there is a royal dais, with a chair for the king and a table for the royal elbow and a jar for the royal spittle (the king does not chew betel nut, but all of his subjects do; so the jar is de rigueur). The king often comes for the premiere of a new picture. Usually the film is a well-worn French or American product, which has been broken so often and pieced together so quaintly that following the story becomes an acrobatic feat. The Siamese follow it eagerly, unmindful of strange gaps in the plot. But Charlie Chaplin may gambol in vain if the king is in the theater, for the audience turn their backs on the screen to look at royalty.

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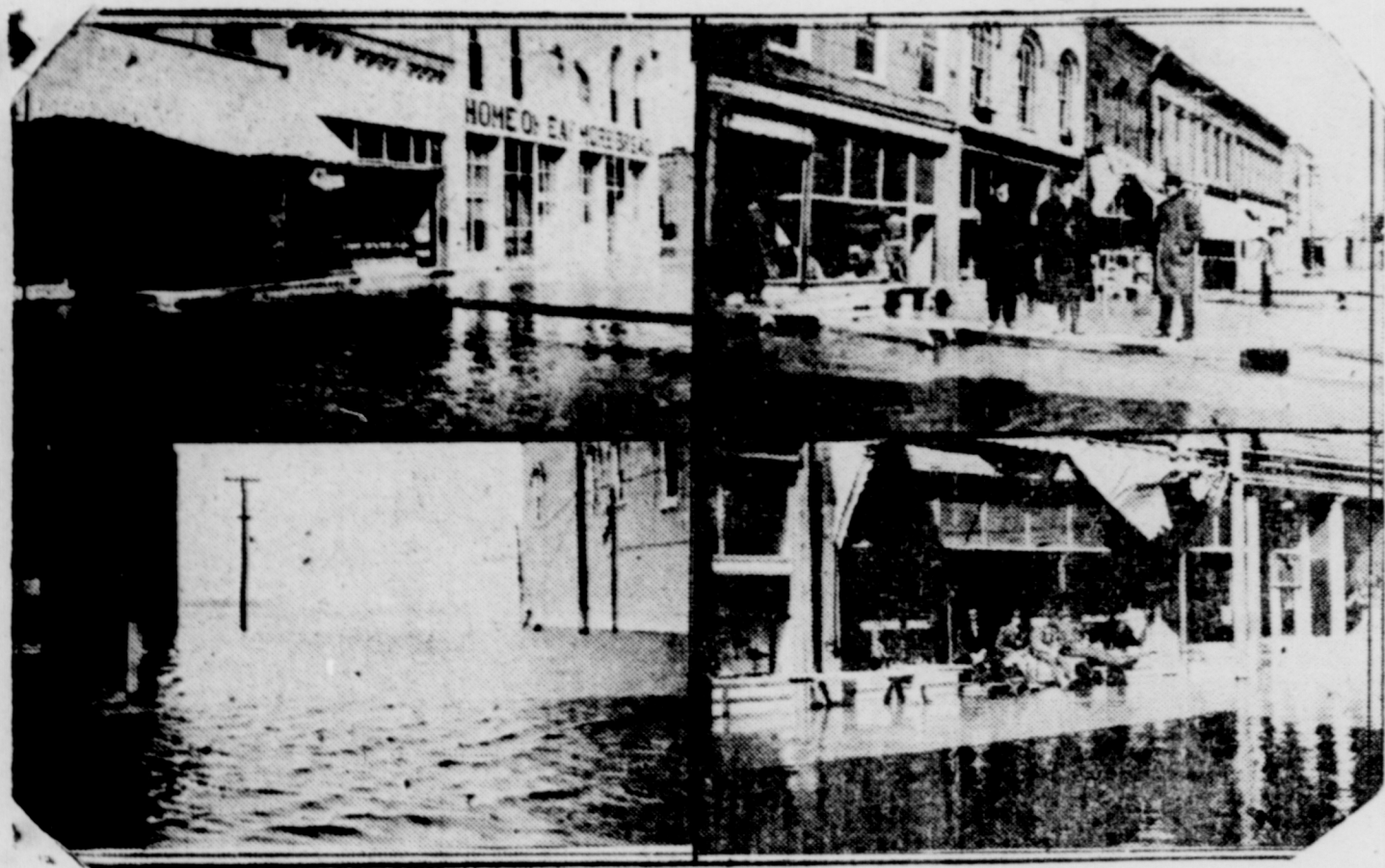
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Above are four views taken of the business section of this city last Thursday. The picture at the top (left) shows the water up to the entrance of the farm bureau office; lower left, Clinton street; right top and bottom are views from the retail section, showing improved bridges for crossing the street and scaffolding used by the merchants in selling supplies to purchasers.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Hickman, Ky., March 6th, 1922.
Council met in regular session, present Mayor T. T. Swayne, Councilmen R. L. Bradley, L. N. Gregory, E. R. Ellison, and R. M. Isler.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and on motion approved and signed.

The following accounts were presented, properly approved and on motion allowed and checks ordered drawn on the City Treas. for like amounts:

Ky. Light & Power Company, Feb. service, \$38.12.
Chas. Ray, hauling cinders, \$36.00.
Chas. Ray, hauling cinders, \$18.00.
Jno. Pyle, money advanced on street work, \$32.00.
Firemen, \$9.50.

R. W. Posey, gasoline, \$2.00.
A. S. Hamby, money advanced on street work and freight, \$186.76.

On motion the City Attorney was instructed to make a settlement with J. O. West covering his time as City Cemetery Supt.

On motion made and seconded the Fire Chief was instructed not to take the fire engine outside of the city limits. On motion the mayor was instructed to divide the fire insurance carried by the city among all the insurance agents doing business in the city.

On motion the City Marshall was instructed to stop people from hitching or parking cars on Carroll Street on the south side of the County Jail.

Motion made and carried that the city borrow \$500.00 to be used in repairing streets.

On motion the City Treas. was instructed to transfer \$150.00 from the general fund to the firemen's fund.

On motion L. N. Gregory and R. M. Isler were appointed on a committee to sell the city truck.

On motion the Finance Committee was instructed to buy 2 dozen chairs to be used in the Council room.

The following report of the Police Judge was received, ordered spread upon the records and filed:

Feb. 9th, Jimmie King, breach of peace, \$5; on bond.

March 3rd, Jim Upshaw, violating sanitary ordinance, \$5; on bond.

March 3rd, Walter Branham, violating sanitary ordinance, \$5; on bond.

March 3rd, Alex Lawson, violating sanitary ordinance, \$5; on bond.

March 3rd, John Ray, violating sanitary ordinance, \$5; on bond.

March 3rd, James Branham, violating sanitary ordinance, \$5; on bond.

March 6th, Sam Holman, breach of peace, \$5; on bond.

Total \$35.00.
Respectfully submitted,
W. B. Amberg, Police Judge.

The Clerk reported that he had issued

deeds to the following City Cemetery property and that he holds Supt. Isler's receipt for same:

To Jas. Townsend, east half of lot No. 42, consideration \$25.00.

The following ordinances were passed by the affirmative vote of all the Councilmen present, said ordinances are in words and figures as follows:

"An ordinance providing for an election to be held in the City of Hickman, Kentucky on April 1st, 1922, to take the sense of the qualified voters of the school district embracing the City of Hickman and annexed territory on the proposition of whether the Board of Education of said City of Hickman shall issue and sell school improvement bonds to the amount of \$30,000 for the erection and equipment of a new school building or buildings and for the enlargement of school buildings already erected in said district.

Whereas, the Board of Education of the City of Hickman has certified to the General Council of the City of Hickman that it is deemed necessary by it for the proper accommodation of the schools of said district to erect and equip a new school building or buildings and for the improvement and enlargement of buildings already erected in the district embracing the City of Hickman, Kentucky and that the annual funds raised from other sources are not sufficient to accomplish said purpose and the said board has made a careful estimate of the amount of money in the sum of \$30,000 and that an election for an issue of bonds for school improvement should be held in said district for said purpose to raise said money, the proceeds of which are to be applied as aforesaid, as is required and provided for by Sec. 20 of Chapter 14 of the Acts of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, approved March 13, 1920, and which section appears on page 48 of said Acts and which title is as follows:

"An Act defining boundaries for school districts embracing cities of the fourth class, and providing systems of schools in such districts, and creating Boards of Education for such districts, providing for election thereof, defining their powers and duties, and repealing all laws in conflict therewith."

Section 1. Be it therefore ordained by the Board of Council of the City of Hickman that the proposition be submitted to the qualified voters of the said city and territory annexed thereto for school purposes on the first day of April, 1922, as to whether bonds shall be issued by the said Board of Education in a sum not exceeding \$30,000 for the purpose aforesaid, the said bonds to be designated as "School Improvement Bonds," and said bonds to be serial issue and to run for a period of 15

years, \$2,000 of such bonds to mature at the end of each year from date of issue, the rate of interest on said bonds not to exceed 6 per cent, payable semi-annually and that a tax be annually levied as provided for in said law to pay the said interest and to redeem the said bonds as they mature.

Section 2. That a special registration of all qualified voters shall be held in the City of Hickman on March 25th, 1922, and that notice of this registration and of this election be given and published as is required and provided for by law; that this ordinance to become and be in force and effect from and after its passage and publication.
T. T. Swayne, Mayor.
John F. Pyle, Clerk.

The Ayes and Nays having been called for upon the motion to adopt the said ordinance, the votes were as follows:

Ayes—R. L. Bradley, E. R. Ellison, R. M. Isler, L. N. Gregory.
Nays—None.

T. T. Swayne, Mayor.
Attest,
Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

Be it ordained by the Board of Council of the City of Hickman, Kentucky.

Section 1. That the following license tax is hereby fixed, established, levied and imposed upon all persons, firms or corporations, owning and operating automobiles and motor cycles in the City of Hickman, Kentucky, that the said license fees are hereby fixed, levied and imposed for the purpose of having each automobile and motor cycle registered each year in said City and for exercising a supervisory regulation over the subject and that any person, firm or corporation owning and operating an automobile or motor cycle in the City of Hickman, Kentucky, shall first procure a license to do so and pay the license fee thereof as follows:

No. 1. For each automobile owned and operated by any person, firm or corporation residing in the City of Hickman, Ky., for each machine of 25 horse power or under, \$6.00; for each machine of more than 25 horse power \$7.00; for each motor cycle \$6.00.

Section 2. The aforesaid license fee shall be paid on or before the first day of May, 1922, and each succeeding year thereafter, and all persons, firms or corporations violating Section 1 of this ordinance shall upon conviction in the Hickman Police Court be fined in any sum not less than \$5 or more than \$20 for each offense and each day said violations occur shall be a separate offense.

Section 3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed and this ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, publication and approval.

T. T. Swayne, Mayor of City of Hickman.
Attest,
Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

The Ayes and Nays having been called for upon the motion to adopt the above ordinance, the votes were as follows:

Ayes—R. L. Bradley, E. R. Ellison, R. M. Isler, L. N. Gregory.
Nays—None.

T. T. Swayne, Mayor of City of Hickman.
Attest,
Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

Be it ordained by the City of Hickman, Fulton County, Kentucky, that it shall be the duty of every person, firm or corporation owning any vacant lots within the city limits to keep the same free from all offenses and deleterious substances, also to prevent or remove any stagnated water and to keep the said lot or lots free from weeds, trash, garbage, ashes, rubbish or any putrid animal or vegetable matter or rubbish and said lots shall be kept clean of tin cans and other rubbish where water and trash might accumulate and each person, firm or corporation shall see that the weeds are cut and carried off, and all rubbish taken off of said vacant lots.

All persons, firms or corporations, violating this ordinance shall be fined not less than \$1 or more than \$5 for each and every offense and every day that same is not done after due notice shall constitute a separate offense and any notice from any officer of this City or hand bills shall be official notice.

Section 2. Every proprietor, lessee, tenant and occupant of any dwelling within the city limits shall keep on his or her premises suitable barrels or re-



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ceptacles for receiving and holding garbage and every person, firm or corporation and every occupant of any dwelling shall deposit all garbage, trash and other waste in said garbage can, or barrel and the same shall have a top upon same and fixed in such manner as to prevent flies and the same shall be kept in a place accessible to the garbage wagon, and said garbage wagons shall take same off once a week and every occupant of any dwelling shall pay the said garbage wagon for said service ten cents for each load to be paid at the time said work is done.

Section 3. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to deposit in any street, alley or avenue any trash, rubbish, tin cans, or any rubbish of any kind and all persons, firms or corporations violating any of the above ordinances shall be fined upon conviction not less than \$1 or more than \$5 for each and every offense and each day shall constitute a separate offense.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its publication and passage.
T. T. Swayne, Mayor.
Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

There being no further business, on motion Council adjourned.
Attest,
Jno. Pyle, City Clerk.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1921.
(Seal) A. W. Gleason, Notary Public.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Druggists, 75c. Testimonials free.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Mrs. A. K. Gault, who last April became mayor of St. Peter and the first woman in Minnesota to become chief executive of a municipality, now aspires to a seat in Congress. She has announced her intention to become a candidate for the nomination in the Third congressional district in the coming primaries.

—o—
If you belch up a bitter tasting liquid, suffer from heartburn and sour stomach, you need the tonic properties of Herbine. It is a purifying and strengthening medicine for the stomach liver and bowels. Price, 60c. Sold by all druggists.

—o—
Men traveling in London in the subway trains are protesting because the smoking compartments nowadays are monopolized by the girls and women.

Watch your children for symptoms of worms. They undermine the health and breed sickness. Use White's Cream Vermifuge. It expels worms and restores health and vigor. Price, 35c. Sold by all druggists.

REPORT of the condition of HICKMAN BANK & TRUST CO.

doing business at the town of Hickman, County of Fulton, State of Kentucky at the close of business on the 15th day of March, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$175,685.22
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	0.00
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities.....	20,232.45
Due from banks.....	11,707.49
Cash on hand.....	11,119.76
Checks, and other cash items.....	10,364.09
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	4,461.10
Other Real Estate.....	0.00
Other assets not included under any of the above heads.....	0.00
Total.....	\$433,570.08

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	30,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	8,429.74
Deposits subject to check.....	\$181,580.28
Demand certificates of deposit.....	500.00
Time Deposits.....	53,805.75
Certified Checks.....	0.00
Cashier's Checks Out standing.....	0.00
Due Banks and Trust Companies.....	14,107.31
Bills Payable.....	75,000.00
Total.....	\$433,570.08

State of Kentucky, County of Fulton, set.

We, J. W. Cowgill, President, and Jno. Pyle, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. W. COWGILL, President,
Jno. Pyle, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of March, 1922.

(SEAL)
My commission expires Oct. 27, 1925.
Correct—Attest:
CHAS. G. SCHLENNER } Directors
W. H. HALTZER }
H. L. AMBERG }

WHAT TO DO FOR COLDS AND FLU

For colds, grippe, flu and to prevent pneumonia, take Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Tonic, a pleasant substitute for quinine, combined with a laxative cough syrup. Mrs. Lula K. Roach, Drifton, Fla., writes: "My husband had a severe attack of flu, coughed terribly, was treated by our family physician and tried different cures but got no better. I then tried Mendenhall's Chill Tonic, using two bottles. He completely recovered in about ten days. Our family physician now uses your chill tonic." We authorize druggists to guarantee Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Tonic, better than any other.

C. P. MABRY Attorney-at-Law

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Hickman, Kentucky

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Cold settled in the muscles of the neck, arms or shoulder makes every movement painful. Use Ballard's Snow Liniment. It relieves the pain and relaxes the muscles. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Sold by all druggists.

AN APPEAL!

Floods are expensive and cash business practically at a standstill. A prompt settlement of your account this month will be highly appreciated.

THANK YOU

REID BROS.

A Street Sprinkler Here Would be Totally Unnecessary



View taken at Clinton and Kentucky streets when water had reached its crest

SYLVAN SHADE COMMUNITY CLUB MEETING

A splendid and a very interesting program was given at the last regular meeting of the Community Club, March 3rd. Each number showed a very thorough preparation and was very much enjoyed by a large crowd. We are proud of the increasing interest that is being shown in our Community Club. A meeting with as much "pop" and enthusiasm as this one had is a great asset to any community.

You are invited to attend the next regular meeting Friday evening, April 7th. The program is to begin promptly at 7:45. The following is the program:

- I. The Entertaining Feature—Minstrel, by eight colored faces from Mr. Hook's room.
- II. The Value of a Community Club—assigned to a speaker of Hickman.
- IV. Discussion—
1. Home Gardening—Mr. Isaac Shuff.
2. Turkey Raising—Mrs. L. D. Mad-dox.
3. Good Seed Corn—Mr. Tom Mc-Murry.

Groceries—Bettersworth.

VOTE FOR THE SCHOOL BONDS.

If you would visit our schools and see the crowded conditions there, it would not be necessary to urge you to vote for these bonds. The tax rate will be \$1.50 for running the schools and providing rooms for the pupils. If bonds are issued the rate will not be more than \$1.50.

Since it will not cost any more to issue bonds I should think that every voter in the Hickman District would be in favor of the bonds.

If we issue the bonds then we can build some new buildings that will be a credit to our town and the 25 cents of the \$1.50 will create a sinking fund that will pay for the buildings in 15 years. On the other hand, if we do not issue the bonds then the Board of Education must take 25 cents of the \$1.50 and rent or buy some old buildings to house some of the pupils in the coming years.

Looking at this from a business standpoint don't you think that it would be a poor investment to rent or buy old buildings when we can get new ones for the same cost?

Other towns not as large as Hickman

are voting bonds and building new school buildings. Nothing will add more to your town than good schools. If a man is thinking of locating in a certain town one of the first questions he asks is "What kind of schools has the town?" No one wants to live in a town where his children will not have good school advantages.

If you will give this question a little thought I am sure that you will favor the school bonds. It means everything to the children of your town and it will not cause you to pay any more tax.

Hickman Board of Education.

Rex Theatre Today—Eugene O'Brien in "Chivalrous Charley." Eugene is at his best in this picture. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

Just received Vassar spring and summer underwear at The Live Store. Like others, you can't help but like them. \$1 and up.

Mrs. Sam Brummel, of Union City, was a visitor in the city Tuesday.

Get your new Easter suit, hat and shoes at The Live Store.

WHY YOU ARE GOING TO VOTE FOR SCHOOL BONDS

(By Frances Johnson, 8th Grade)

The question arises on the first of April as to whether or not you are going to vote for school bonds. One of the many reasons why you should is the reason of fire. The furnace is under the boys' stairway, and if fire should break out the stairway would catch and quickly burn. It would not take long to burn the old floors, because they are saturated with oil, which has been put on to clean and disinfect them. The pupils would either have to leap from the windows and run the risk of broken arms, necks and limbs or be burned to death.

Another reason is that in many of the rooms the desks are so situated that the light does not shine as it should on the work of the pupils and causes eye trouble. The building is old, out of repair and is not convenient. The rooms are crowded, poorly lighted, heated and ventilated. With the school bonds the people of Hickman would be able to have up to date, modern buildings.

This is the question which you are called to vote upon Saturday, April 1.

WORRIED HUSBANDS—READ THIS

Gude's Pepto-Mangan Is the Best Tonic for Nervous, Tired Out Wives.

If your wife is all "tired out" and cross and irritable most of the time? Do the children "bother her to death" every day, and do the ordinary household tasks that she formerly performed with ease now seem to overtax her? In other words, do you often come home to a house of trouble instead of a house of joy and happiness?

If your answer is "yes" to these pointed questions, don't blame your wife until she has taken Gude's Pepto-Mangan with her meals for a few weeks. She is simply run down and nervous and needs the kind of iron that she will get in Gude's Pepto-Mangan to give her more vitality and strength. For thirty years doctors have recommended Gude's Pepto-Mangan as a first class building up tonic. Sold by your druggist in both liquid and tablet form.—[Adv.]

Stacy Adams new spring oxfords, now showing at The Live Store.

SUNDAY DINNER

SUNDAY, APRIL 2, 1922

Cream of Chicken Soup
Chicken and Dressing
Garden Celery Sliced Tomatoes with Spring Lettuce
String Beans, Home Style
Cup Potato Salad
Assorted Cakes and Sliced Pineapple
Coffee Tea Milk

BUSY BEE CAFE

CRUTCHFIELD NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Brant Williams and Mrs. Paul Williams and little son spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams, near here.

Lovelace Veatch was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Kelly Moore, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Edna Brown and little son, Hiram C., spent Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Wade, near here.

Fred Barber was the week-end visitor of his sister, Mrs. Cecil McCallister, of Water Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClanahan entertained the young people with a play party Friday night. A large crowd attended and everyone had a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan and children, Mildred and William, are leaving Wednesday for Tulsa, Texas, where they will make their future home with Mrs. McClanahan's father, Price Mapping.

Mrs. Virgil Stone, of near Dukedom, was the visitor of Mrs. Willie Edwards, Thursday.

Misses Olene Smith and Willie Ruth Turner were in Clinton Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lon Brown and little daughter, Vivian, of near Harmony, spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Y. A. Milner.

Misses Ora and Lillian Seel were Friday night visitors of Miss Jessie Lee Wade.

Mrs. Ernest Carner and little son, Roy Wade, spent several days of last week with her mother, Mrs. Willie Wade.

Mrs. T. O. Copeland spent Thursday with Mrs. Luther Veatch, near here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fortner, of near Fulgum, were visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Turner, one day last week.

W. M. Bauleh was called to Fulton Thursday to attend the bedside of his father, who was seriously wounded, when he fell from a tree.

Dr. Henry and little daughter, Virginia, drove out to Sandford Roper's Saturday afternoon to visit Mrs. Bud Gaskins, who is ill at the home of her father.

Miss Dula McClure spent Friday afternoon with Miss Marie Easley, near here.

Misses Velma and Beanton Yandall were the guests of Misses Nollia and Rossie Jackson this week-end.

A few from Crutchfield attended the play at McFadden Saturday night.

Mrs. Mattie Thompson and son, Herman, spent Saturday with relatives near Beclerton.

Mrs. Carrol, of Cairo, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Bruce.

Miss Willie Everett, near here, has been ill for quite but is reported to be improving slowly.

Mrs. Rupert Latta returned from the hospital in Paducah, Saturday, and is thought to be doing nicely.

There will be a play given at the school building here Wednesday night, March 29. Cayce is bringing this play here, so come!

Miss Willie Ruth Turner was the Saturday night and Sunday guest of Miss Leola Butts.

Joseph R. Smith of Fulton, spent Sunday night with his mother, Mrs. L. B. Smith.

Mrs. Luther Guile and little daughter spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Cashon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harris and son Ray spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Moore.

Mrs. Clarence Bellew and daughter, Miss Alma, were visitors of Mrs. Willie Edwards Thursday.

Miss May Wilkins of Fulton spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Oscar Nugent, near here.

Miss Marie Easley was the guest of Miss Opal Elliott Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Willie McClanahan and Miss Jessie Wade spent Saturday in Clinton.

Mrs. L. B. Smith spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Y. A. Milner.

Master Taylor Dudley of near Dukedom was the visitor of his grandfather, Jake Veatch, a few days last week.

The family of Mrs. Leola Clark have the flu. She and the baby are very ill of pneumonia at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrod of Cairo are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hill.

Mrs. Scates of Union City is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Willie Wade.

Buster Herring and daughter, Miss Clarice, were in Clinton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Williams and son Fletcher spent Sunday in Fulton.

Mrs. A. J. Turner spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Hills.

Miss Mayne Wright was the week end guest of Miss Lucile Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie McClanahan and children were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Finch Sunday night.

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"Similia similibus curantur" or like ailments are cured by like remedies or poison counteracts poison. This the motto of homeopathy in medicine, which has proven true in many instances. This is why we make Mendenhall's Chill and Fever Tonic, with and without arsenic. The tonic containing arsenic is designated by a label printed in red giving the quantity to each fluid ounce. Arsenic, is "the most successful agent in the treatment of chronic malaria, intermittent, bilious or malarial fevers, chronic chills, brow ache neuralgia, headache or rheumatism due to malaria or general bad health. Increases the appetite, digestion, weight and strength of the patient and has great power to improve the condition of the blood. It is one of the few substances which deserve the name of a general tonic. Inactive liver and spleen functional nervous disorders with malnutrition and anaemia are benefited by its use." Insist on Mendenhall's Chill Tonic, made by J. C. Mendenhall, druggist since 1873.

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Van Raalte Glove Silk Hose in
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Hose, specially **\$2.50**
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Columbia, Tenn., May 1 and 2

80 FEMALES

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20 BULLS

The choicest selections from twenty-five of the South's leading herds, representing favorite families, have been consigned to the Second Annual Southern Shorthorn Exhibition and Sale, to be held in the Stock Yards Arena, Columbia, Tenn., May 1 and 2. The consignment includes eighty head of straight Scotch cattle of the most popular blood lines, and therefore affords an opportunity for the most discriminating breeder and fancier to purchase his requirements. The offering also includes excellent individuals from which the farmer may supply his demands for grading up purposes.

THE MARKETING DIVISION OF THE TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT OF THE NASHVILLE, CHATTANOOGA & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY WILL FURNISH TO PERSONS DESIRING TO PURCHASE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF THE OWNERS OF THE FOLLOWING:

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To Producers Will be Furnished on Application the Names and Addresses of Persons by Whom the Following Commodities Are

WANTED—Seed Corn, Manure Spreader, Stock Peas

Breeders of live stock and producers of field, garden and orchard products for sale, except such as reach the market through established and logical channels, are invited to communicate to the undersigned complete description, quantities and other necessary information of such commodities.

Instructive literature on alfalfa, silos, lime in agriculture, peanut and soybean oil manufacture will be mailed to any address upon request.

ADDRESS

L. P. Bellah, General Agent, Nashville, Tennessee

A new craze among girls of the "flapper" class is the wearing of the photograph of the "best boy" mounted on the buckle of the shoe.

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Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic restores Energy and Vitality by Purifying and Enriching the Blood. When you feel its strengthening, invigorating effect, see how it brings color to the cheeks and how it improves the appetite, you will then appreciate its true tonic value. Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is simply Iron and Quinine suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. The blood needs QUININE to Purify it and IRON to Enrich it. Destroys Malarial germs and Grip germs by its Strengthening, Invigorating Effect. 60c.

Mrs. J. M. Patterson has been employed on the editorial staff of a newspaper in Marshall, Mo., for 45 years and is still active at the age of 80.

A share of your grocery business will be appreciated—Bettersworth's.

REMINISCENCES**FIFTY YEARS AGO**

There was great excitement in the Northwest on account of marvelous tales of gold discoveries in the Black Hills country of Dakota Territory.

Dr. George Mayes, aged 23, son of Esq. J. W. Mayes, died at his home four miles from Hickman.

A woman named Harriet Mills was burned to death in a hotel near town.

"The present continued low stage of the Mississippi at this season of the year was probably never known before."

"Corn throughout Kentucky is estimated to be worth on an average, 51c per bushel, wheat \$1.28, and hay \$15.58 per ton."

"The Illinois Central and McComb have determined to build a road from Humboldt, Tenn., to Cairo, Ill."

"The work of protecting our river front is progressing admirably under the management of Fritz Helmer as engineer."

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

The Courier jumped on the St. Louis Chronicle for its "outrageous, scandalous and greatly exaggerated reports" of the Mississippi flood at Hickman.

"The El Rio Rey, a small tugboat sent out by the St. Louis Republic to gather flood news, passed down Friday last."

"An excursion party from Martin and Union City came in last Friday to see the big river."

"The fruit trees are all in full bloom and a cold snap right now would play havoc with the fruit."

"The rainfall of this section the past month is said to have been unprecedented. It rained 22 days during March."

"The rain Wednesday night washed away one or two culverts on the N., C. & St. L. between this place and Union City."

It was announced that Rev. Cronch would begin a protracted meeting at the Baptist church Sunday.

It was estimated that 1,000 people from the surrounding country were in town Sunday to view the high water.

M. A. McDaniel announced as a candidate for county clerk.

"S. Vreeland has sold his place in West Hickman to Charles Holcombe, Jr."

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets remove the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on box. 30c.

SILLY ADS

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Key received a cable while with his regiment in France informing him that one of his stores had burned. He cabled back, "Keep the home fires burning." Don't worry about fires; insure with Henry & Talley.

During the war our tanks went thru fire and water. Now American tanks are still going abroad to get fire water. It's cheaper and more satisfactory to stay home and drink Cherry Blossoms.

All nations could dispense with their navies if they only had just one big friend ship. Likewise financial questions may be decided by confiding in and having a friendship for the Hickman Bank & Trust Co.

The newly rich bunch could not get in the swim—until Willie left the water running in the bath room. When you don't want to be soaked call up the Hickman Tin & Plumbing Co., phone 73.

Some people can talk and see in the dark by making their conversation light but when any one goes out their face lightens up by a visit to Smith & Amberg's.

Oh, how a man will fight for a woman's hand, and after he wins it often finds it in his pocket at night. The best hand out is won by simply getting one of those good meals at the Busy Bee Cafe.

SAYS CALOMEL SALIVATES AND LOOSENS TEETH

The Very Next Dose of This Treacherous Drug May Start Trouble.

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If you feel bilious, headachy, constipated and all knocked out just go to your druggist and get a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tonic for a few cents which is a harmless vegetable substitute for dangerous calomel. Take a spoonful and if it doesn't start your liver and straighten you up better and quicker than nasty calomel and without making you sick, you just go back and get your money.

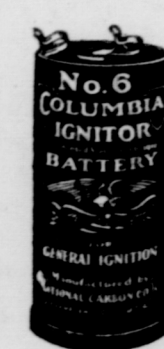
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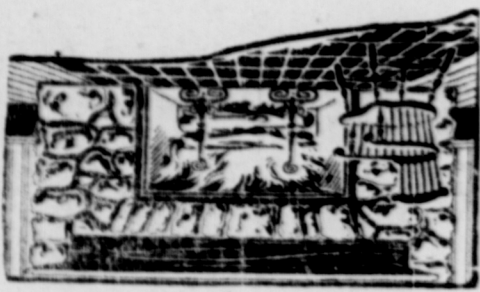
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HARRIET AND THE PIPER

(Continued from Opposite Page)

Now that the music thread was laid, she could almost like him.

"The present is extremely profitable," he said dryly, "and I suppose there might be—well, say a marriage in it, some day."

"A rich widow?" Harriet suggested, simply.

"Or a little girl with a fortune, like this little Carter girl," he added, lightly.

Harriet gave him a swift look.

"Don't talk nonsense! Nina's only a child!"

"She's almost eighteen, isn't she?"

The girl walked swiftly on for a full minute.

"You weren't quite a child at eighteen," he reminded her.

The color flooded her transparent dusky skin.

"That's exactly what I was!" she said dryly. "But talk to Nina, if you don't believe me! Everything that is



"A Rich Widow?" Harriet suggested, simply.

school-girl and romantic and undeveloped, is Nina. She is absolutely inexperienced; she's what I called her, a child! It's preposterous!"

"I suppose," the man drawled, "that that is a question for the young lady, and her parents, and myself to decide."

Harriet bit her lip. This was utterly unexpected. Into her calculations, up to this point, she had taken only Royal Blondin and herself. If his words covered any truth, then the matter did not stop there. Nina was involved, and with Nina, Ward and Nina's father and Isabelle.

The complications were endless; her heart sickened before them. And yet, the conviction that Royal dared not betray her had been flooding Harriet's heart with exquisite reassurance during this past half hour. She was safe; her life at Crownlands took on a new and wonderful beauty with that knowledge. And if she was fit to continue there, Nina's companion, Isabelle's confidante, guide and judge for the whole household, could she with any logic warn them against this man?

He had her trapped, and she saw it. To threaten his standing was to wreck her own.

Her eyes looked beyond him darkly; the girl was young and innocent, greedy for flattery, eager to live. What chance had little Nina Carter against charm like his—experience like his?

"I may never be asked to the house after tomorrow night," said Blondin. "She won't be here tomorrow night. This may be the beginning and end of it. All I ask is that if I am made welcome here, on my own merits, you won't interfere! The mere fact that you're living here doesn't mean that you have the moral responsibility of the family on your shoulders, does it?"

"No-o," Harriet admitted, in a troubled tone.

"Of course not! You live your life, and I mine. Is there anything wrong about that?"

"You know you would never look at that girl except for her money, Roy!" she burst out.

"Nor would anyone else!" he amended, suavely.

Harriet gave a distressed laugh.

"Come! You and I never saw each other until this week," Blondin urged.

"That's the whole story."

Before she answered, the girl looked beyond him at the splendid stables and lawns of Crownlands. It never lost its charm for her, her castle of dreams; she had longed to be part of just such a household all her life! Now she actually was part of it, and—

if what Mary Putnam had hinted was true, if her own fleeting suspicion only a few evenings ago was true; then she might some day really belong to Crownlands, in good earnest!

Harriet made her choice.

"Very well," she said, briefly. "I understand you. I turn in here. Good-night!"

"Just a second!" he said, detaining her. "You won't hurt me with any of them, Ward or the girl, or the father?"

The girl's lips curled with distaste.

"No," she said tonelessly.

In another second she was gone. He saw the slender figure, in its green gown, disappear at a turning of the fabled wall. She paused for no backward glance of farewell. But Royal Blondin was satisfied.

CHAPTER IV.

Again Harriet fled through the quiet house as if pursued by furies, and again reached her room with white cheeks and a fast-beating heart. Nina was not there. She crossed to the window, and stood there with her hands clasped on her chest, and her breath coming and going stormily.

"Oh, he's clever!" she whispered, half aloud. "He's clever! He never made a threat of any kind! He knew that he had me—he knew that he had me just where he wanted me! And what he does here, in making his way with this family, doesn't concern me! Nina is old enough to decide for herself."

Nina had been experiencing what were among the pleasantest hours of her life. A school friend, Amy Hawkes, who was romance personified, under a plain and demure exterior, had observed Nina's long conversation with Royal Blondin, and had found an arch allusion to it so well received by Nina that she had followed up that line of conversation, ever since.

Any was to sleep with Nina, and Harriet realized, as she superintended their fluttered dressing, that she, Harriet, would be obliged to go to their door five times, between eleven and one o'clock that night, and tell them that they must stop talking.

There was a modest knock at the door, and Rosa came in with a box. She smiled, and put it on Harriet's desk.

"For me?" the girl said, smiling in answer, and with some surprise. Rosa nodded, and went her way, and Harriet went to the box. It was not large, a florist's box of dark green cardboard; Harriet untied the raffia string, and investigated the mass of silky tissue paper. Inside was an orchid. She opened the accompanying envelope, and found Ward's card. On the back he had written, "Just a little worried because he's afraid you're cross at him!"

Harriet stood perfectly still, the orchid in one hand, the card crushed in the other. Ward Carter had sent orchids, no doubt, to other girls. But Harriet Carter had never had an orchid before from a man.

She put the card into her little desk, and the orchid into a slender crystal vase. Then she went back to advise Amy and Nina as to gold beads and the arrangement of hair. But a little later, when she was in the big house-keeper's pantry, where several maids were busy with last-minute manipulations of olives and ice and grapefruit, Ward came out and found her, soberly busy to her old checked silk.

"Why didn't you wear it?"

"Wear it?—you had, extravagant child! I'll wear it to town tomorrow."

"No; but—" he sank his tone to one of enjoyable confidences—"but were you mad at me? You looked so glum at breakfast."

"Well, you had nothing to do with it!" she assured him, in her big-sisterly voice. "And it was the first orchid I ever had, and I loved you for it!"

It was with something like pain and impatience in his tone that Ward said gruffly:

"Yes, you do! You like me about as much as you like Nina or Granny!"

"I like you—sh! just a little better than I do Granny!" Harriet confided. "Don't spoil your dinner with olives, Ward! Don't muss that—there's a dear! Dinner's announced, by the way. It's quarter past eight."

"I'm going!" he grumbled, discontentedly.

"At any rate, I love the orchid!" Harriet said, soothingly. He was laughing, too, as he disappeared, but something in his face was vaguely troubling to her none the less, and she remembered it now and then with a little compunction during her quiet evening of reading. Well, she would see Linda on Saturday, and have Sunday with her and the children, and that meant always a complete change and a shifted viewpoint, even when, as frequently happened, Linda took the older-sisterly privilege of scolding.

When Harriet had chaperoned Nina and Amy to the Friday afternoon matinee, and had duly deposited Amy afterward in the Hawkes mansion, and had escorted Nina to her grandmother's apartment, she was free to direct Hansen to drive her to the Jersey tube, and to spend a hot, uncomfortable hour in a stream of homegoing commuters, on the way to Linda's house.

She mounted the three cement steps from the sidewalk level, and the four shabby and peeling wooden ones that rose to the porch. On this hot summer afternoon the front door was open, and Harriet stepped into the odorless gloom of the hall, and let the screen door bang lightly behind her.

Immediately, in the open archway into the parlor, a girl of fifteen appeared, a pretty girl with blue eyes and brown hair, a shabby but fresh little shirtwaist belted by a shabby but clean white skirt, and a napkin dangling from her hand.

"Oh, Mother—it's Aunt Harriet! Oh, you darling!"

Harriet, laughing, went from the child's wild embrace into the arms of Linda herself, a tall, broadly built, pleasant-faced woman with none of Harriet's own unusual beauty, but with a family resemblance to her younger sister nevertheless.

"Well, you sweet good child!" she said warmly. "Fred—here's Harriet! Well, my dear, isn't it fortunate that we were late! We'd hardly commenced!"

The remaining members of the family now streamed forth: Fred Daven-

port, a thin, rather gray man of fifty, with an intelligent face, a worried forehead, and kindly eyes; Julia, a blonde beauty of twelve; Nanmy, a fat, sweet boy of five, with a bib on; and Pip, a serious ten-year-old, with black hair and faded blue overalls.

Fred was a newspaper man, one of the submerged many, underpaid, overworked, unheard, yet vaguely gratified through all the long years by the feeling that his groove was not quite the groove of the office, the teller's desk, or the traveling salesman's "beat." Here in the little suburban town his opinions gained some little weight from the fact that he had been ten years with a New York evening paper. Mrs. Davenport was interested in everything her sister had to say; knew the Carters, and even some of their closest friends, by name, and asked all sorts of questions about them.

Later in the evening Fred was at the piano. It was a poor piano, and he was a poor player who smoked his old pipe while he painstakingly fingered Mendelssohn's "Songs Without Words" or the score of "The Geisha." But Linda loved him.

"He will putter away there, perfectly content, for an hour," she told Harriet. "And at ten you'll see him starting to get Josephine. They're great chums—she thinks there's no one in the world like Daddy!"

Harriet's thoughts had wandered.

"How's David?"

"Lovely. He always comes to us for Sunday dinner," Linda said. "And he always asks for you!" she added, with some significance. David Davenport, Fred's somewhat heavy and plodding brother, a successful Brooklyn dentist, had never made any secret of his feeling for the beautiful Harriet.

"I like David!" Harriet said, in answer to some faint indication of reproach in her sister's tone. But immediately afterward she added, in a lower voice: "Ward Carter has had Royal Blondin at the house this week!"

Linda's rocker stopped as if by shock. There was an electric silence. When she spoke again it was with awe and incredulity and something like terror in her tone.

"Royal Blondin! He's in England!"

"He was," Harriet said, dryly. "He's been in New York for two years now."

Linda shuddered.

"I know—I remember!" she said in a whisper. And she added fervently, "I hoped he was dead!"

"So did I!" Harriet said, simply. "Our meeting was entirely accidental. He had no idea of finding me; was as surprised as I was." She stopped abruptly, musing on some ungrat-

able thought. "You wouldn't know him, Linda. He is a perfect freak. New thought, and poetry, and the occult, and Tagore and the Russian novelists, and the Russian music; he lectures about them and has been extremely successful! He wears pongee coats and red ties, and has his hair long, and—well, you never saw women act so about anything or anybody! He's having dinner with the Carters tonight." To this Linda could only ejaculate an amazed:

"Royal Blondin!" And as Harriet merely nodded, in the gloom, she added, vigorously, "Why, he hadn't a penny! He was always an idiot—he didn't have enough to eat ten years ago!"

"Well, he has enough to eat now! Ward told me that he gets three hundred dollars for his drawing-room talks—his 'interpretive musings,' he called them."

"Well, that—" Mrs. Davenport was still dazed with astonishment and indignation. "That really—" she began, and stopped, shaking her head. "Tell me everything you said!" she commanded.

"I will!" Harriet's voice fell flatly. "I came home to talk it over with you." But it was fully five minutes later that she began the inevitable confidences. "We talked—Roy and I—" she said, briefly. "He doesn't belong in my life, now, any more than I do in his! We simply agreed to a sort of mutual minding of our own business."

"Thank God!" Mrs. Davenport said, fervently. "He—he doesn't want to—he doesn't still feel—he won't worry you, then?" she asked somewhat diffidently. Harriet's laugh had an unpleasant edge.

"He is after bigger game than I am, now!" she said. "The brute!" her sister commented in a whisper. "It—it is all right, then?" she asked, a little timidly.

"All right!" Harriet echoed, bitterly. "I haven't drawn a happy breath since I saw him! All that time came up again, as fresh as if it were yesterday—except that I have climbed a little wily, Linda; I was happy—I was busy and useful—and I had—I had my self-respect!"

And suddenly the bright head was in Linda's lap, and she was sobbing bitterly. Linda, with a great ache in her heart, circled her arms, mother-fashion, as she had circled them a hundred times, about her little sister.

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CAYCE NEWS

Interesting Items by The Courier's Special Correspondent.

Mrs. C. L. Bondurant and Mrs. E. A. Mayfield visited Mrs. William Bondurant and Mrs. Clara Naylor at Hickman Wednesday.

Mrs. Tommie Roper of Haywell, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Crostic last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McClellan, Rev. and Mrs. Baker, Miss Clara Carr, Mrs. Belle Carr, Leola Mahan, Mrs. A. W. Fowler were in Hickman Saturday to see the back water.

There have been a good many sick with the flu here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Peregrin and children of Columbus, came Sunday to stay a while with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burns Sunday.

Rev. Baker and Mrs. Baker and mother attended the Pat Davis' revival at Hickman Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Johnson went to Hickman Saturday and stayed until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sugg and children were in Hickman Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bondurant and children spent Sunday with Clyde Burnett. They celebrated Mrs. Lou Burnett's 64th birthday and Mr. Burnett's 34th birthday.

Miss Alton Brown went to Union City Monday.

Mrs. M. E. Mayes has moved to Cayce. The P. T. A. of Cayce will give a play, "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party" at Sylvan Shade, Friday night March 31.

The visiting club composed of Mesdames C. L. Bondurant, L. R. Hampton, R. R. Johnson and E. A. Mayfield, met with Mrs. Fannie Jones Tuesday. Mrs. John McClellan was a new member.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head
The use of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness or ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. We cook for the signature of E. W. GROVE.

J. W. Rogers has been very ill this week.

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Railroad Park Disguised as a Swimming Pool



View of Railroad Park taken when water was highest. Part of Depot can be seen at extreme left.

THE COUNTY AGENT'S COLUMN

Strawberry Association Assured.

More than fifty acres of strawberries are signed up by the farmers in the Hickman vicinity. This is sufficient acreage to load a car of berries per day. By loading a car a day it will greatly increase the profits accruing from the shipment of strawberries. We need however, all the acreage we can get—the more the better—as this will stimulate more competition among the various commission concerns. You will have from now until next Saturday to make up your minds about planting berries this year. A meeting will be held in the office of the Farm Bureau at 2 p. m. of all the men who expect to plant berries this year. This meeting is for the purpose, first of organization and secondly, to arrange for ordering the slips. It is absolutely necessary for every one to be present as far as possible.

Free Shade Trees.

The Commissioner of Agriculture, C. C. Hanna of Frankfort, informs me that there will be a number of excellent shade trees offered the people of Kentucky just for the cost of shipping and preparation for same. These trees consist of the following variety: White Elm, Ash, Sugar Maple, Sycamore and a few others. They are about 6 feet tall and are excellent trees for shade and ornamental purposes. Any school, club or other organization interested in securing these trees should write to the Commissioner of Agriculture at once.

Good Seed Pays.

Last year five variety tests of corn were run in Fulton County to determine what variety or varieties would yield best on our soils. Johnson and Boone White and Big St. Charles gave the highest yields over the five demonstrations. One year's test, however, is not sufficient to arrive at a conclusion as to the best variety. These tests will be run at least two more years before we will have data sufficient to form a conclusion. If you have good strong land you would make no mistake by using one of the above mentioned varieties. If your land is medium to poor Reid's Yellow Dent, Neal's Paymaster or Little St. Charles are good varieties. It should be remembered that there is just as much in breeding and selection of corn as there is in breeding livestock and it will pay to get a purebred variety that has been carefully selected for high production. If you want the best quality seed corn it is necessary to get it on the ear then you can see just what you are getting. Anything cannot be shelled into the half bushel and sold for high grade hand selected seed.

One farmer in this county, T. H. McMurry, is doing some splendid work in breeding and selection of good seed corn and perhaps there are others but I am not so well acquainted with their work. Mr. McMurry has some especially selected Johnson County White of fine quality.

It will pay any farmer big to test his seed for germination before he plants it. A missing bill is an ear lost. A bad ear planted means from 800 to 1200 ears lost. A germination test is the only way to tell anything about the vitality of corn. Merely looking or feeling of an ear or biting the kernel in two and looking at the germ does not prove anything. The rag doll method is the easiest method and takes very little time to test all the seed you plant.

Watch The Baby Chicks.

Some don'ts in handling young chickens.

1. Don't feed them for 48 hours after hatching.
2. Don't let them out while the dew is on.
3. Don't overfeed—they should always clean up thoroughly.
4. Don't keep them in dirty quarters.

Some good little chick feeds: Sour milk is very good and should be kept before them all the time if possible. It should take the place of water. Hard boiled eggs finely crumbled up is good. Rolled oats is also good, cornbread moistened with sweet milk is very good. Fine grit should be provided as this is the only means the chick has of grinding his food. Charcoal will help digestion. Put one tablespoonful of Sulphur Carbonate of Zinc in each gallon of water.

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Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure itching, blood, bleeding or protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles, and you can get restful sleep after the first application. Price 50c.

Gordon Stokes went to Water Valley Sunday, returning home Monday. He was accompanied home by his wife and two children who had been visiting relatives in Water Valley for three weeks.

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Walk Over, this should be your favorite shoe, at The Live Store.

Arch Hertweck returned Tuesday morning from Rochester, Minn., where he has been in the Mayo Bros. hospital under treatment for several weeks.

Tanlac is well advertised, but advertising alone could not have produced Tanlac's popularity. It had to have merit.—J. C. Ellison Drug Co.

Tuesday at The Rex—Shirley Mason in "Queenie." This is one of the best pictures that this dainty little actress has ever starred in.

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Dress shirts, a wonderful variety to select from, all sizes and so reasonably priced. Only 95 cents and up at The Live Store.

Richard Smith left Monday for Memphis, where he has accepted a position as traveling salesman for a tobacco company.

John B. Stetson Hats, new spring styles, for sale exclusively at The Live Store.

Andy Pounds has moved his restaurant across the street from the stand he formerly occupied in West Hickman.

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Wear Dutchess Trousers and get them at The Live Store.

Mrs. Nelle Warren, of Bond Hill, has been sick with flu for the past week or ten days but is improving slowly.

We serve in high water just the same as when things are normal.—Reid Bros.

Get your new Kuppenheimer Easter Suit now at The Live Store.

H. L. Amberg has been on the sick list for several days, suffering from an attack of the grip.

E. R. Ellison's store is now high and dry and he says he has many bargains to offer the public.

Mrs. S. W. Luttrell returned Monday after spending the winter with relatives in Caruthersville.

The home of Gilster's Best Flour and Chase & Sanborn Coffee.—Reid Bros.

Mrs. Dan Creason has been confined to her room for several days of the past week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fleming and little daughter, Virginia, were visitors in the city Monday.

Walk Over Shoes are famous for the friends they make and keep. For sale at The Live Store.

Misses Mary Whitehead and Charley Bynum, of Fulton, were visitors in the city Tuesday.

The home of Gilster's Best Flour and Chase & Sanborn Coffee.—Reid Bros.

Little Mary Sue, daughter of W. H. Huff, has been quite sick with flu, but is improving.

Dave Morgan has been on the sick list the past week with a slight attack of the flu.

You will find what you are looking for at The Live Store.

Galen Laird arrived here Thursday from Muskegon, Mich., to visit relatives.

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Bring the boy to The Live Store and be fitted in a new spring Woolly Boy Suit.

Nearly a thousand women in Idaho are engaged in farming and stock raising.

A share of your grocery business will be appreciated.—Bettsworth's.

If you are feeling badly, put your troubles away by taking Tanlac.—J. C. Ellison Drug Co.

Monday at The Rex—The coming star of the screen, Constance Binney.

Gaither B. Jones of Union City, was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. T. A. Stark has been critically ill for several days.

Clubwomen of Portland, Ore., are building a \$50,000 clubhouse.

A good heavy work shirt for only 75 cents at The Live Store.

Mrs. T. A. Leiford has been quite sick suffering from flu.

E. F. Waters went to Louisville Monday on a business trip.

Miss Ethel Edmiston visited friends in Columbus Sunday.

C. M. Walts was in Louisville Monday and Tuesday.

Is your liver out of order? Do you suffer from biliousness, headaches, constipation? If so, Tanlac is what you need.—J. C. Ellison Drug Co.

Always glad to show and don't insist on you to buy. Come in and make yourself at home in The Live Store.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING.

District Court of The United States For The Western District of Kentucky.

In Matter of Rube Moore—Bankrupt.

To creditors of bankrupt:

This is to notify you that said Rube Moore, of Hickman, Ky., was duly adjudged bankrupt on the 22nd day of March 1922, and that a meeting of the creditors will be had before me at my office in Paducah, Ky., at 1 o'clock in the afternoon on the 6th day of April 1922, when and where you may prove your claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact other business which may properly come before said meeting.

Paducah, Kentucky, March 25th, 1922.

Emmet E. Bagby, Referee in Bankruptcy.

REPORT of the condition of FARMERS & MERCHANTS BANK

doing business at the town of Hickman County of Fulton, State of Kentucky at the close of business on the 15th day of March, 1922.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$406,022.12
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	0.00
Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	27,475.68
Due from banks.....	40,248.35
Cash on hand.....	18,357.04
Checks, and other cash items.....	0.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	4,500.00
Other Real Estate.....	0.00
Other assets not included under any of the above heads.....	0.00
Total.....	\$496,598.19

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....	\$50,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	70,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	6,008.82
Deposits subject to check.....	\$206,781.55
Demand certificates of deposit.....	0.00
Time Deposits.....	68,802.32
Certified Checks.....	0.00
Cashier's Checks Outstanding.....	5.30
Notes and Bills Rediscounted.....	\$5,000.00
Total.....	\$496,598.19

State of Kentucky,)
County of Fulton,)
We, O. B. Travis and B. C. Ramage, Active Vice-Pres and Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

O. B. TRAVIS, A. Vice-President
B. C. RAMAGE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of March, 1922.

J. H. RUSSELL,
Notary Public
My commission expires Jan. 25, 1925.

Correct—Attest:

R. M. ISLER
J. M. HUBBARD
R. L. BRADLEY } Directors.

Diligence Quantly Advised.
Let every man that hath a calling be diligent in pursuance of its employment, so as not lightly or without reasonable occasion to neglect it in any of those times which are usually, and by the custom of the prudent persons and good husbands, employed in it.—Jeremy Taylor.

CLASSIFIED ADS

For Rent, Sale, Exchange, Etc.

SEED SWEET POTATOES for sale —Tennessee Nancy Halls, hand picked, \$1 per bushel, f. o. b. Fulton.—N. L. Reeves, Cumb. Phone 496. 4p40

FOR RENT—5 room modern apartment, all conveniences and garage, call or see E. Dobson.

ROOM FOR RENT—For gentlemen roomers. All modern conveniences. Call No. 2. tfe40

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey Cow, excellent milker. Cheap for cash. —J. B. McGehee, Route 3. 41 2c

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte Eggs, from blue ribbon pens, \$1 per setting. —J. B. McGehee, Route 3. 41 2c

FOR SALE—Blue Andalusians, from famous imported stock. Prize winners and record layers of large white eggs. \$1.00 per setting.—J. B. McGehee, Route 3. 41 2c

FOR SALE—Setting eggs, single comb brown leghorns, trademark registered. \$1.00 per setting.—L. D. Spillers, Route 3. 41 1c

Phone 237 for good, dry stove wood. 3c41

FOR SALE: Full blooded Collie pups. Fine stock dogs. Will sell mother. Two pups out of seven left. Get one before it is too late.—John Harper.

LOST: Brown leather purse, had name on inside with calling cards. Reward offered.—Mrs. O. T. Burns.

TENANT WANTED: Able to furnish himself, who can farm 160 to 190 acres of good land. Good house, barn and outhouses. Located on Hickman road, five miles from East Prairie, Mo. Inquire of Zell Fisher, East Prairie, Mo. 1c

FOR SALE—A four room house, two porches, on five lots, with double garage. On pike just outside city limits. Six acres beautiful building site on ground. —A. O. Caruthers. 42fc

FOR SALE—One R. I. Red Rooster, April, 1921, hatch, \$2.50 gets him.—Dee Reid. 1c

FOR SALE—One good Jersey cow with young calf. Call J. W. Johnston, Dresden Road 'phone 79-J. 1p

FOR SALE—Fancy hand picked whip-poor-will cow peas. \$2.25 per bu. —J. W. Johnston, Dresden Road, 'phone 79-J. 424p

FOR RENT—A new store building, near the College. For particulars see Miss Mena Dieckelbrink. Can find her in the home next to the store building. 42fc

FOR SALE—Pure bred Hampshire male, O. K. Boy, weight about 400 lbs. Papers furnished. See him at Riverview Stock Farm.—J. W. Harper. 1c

SEED SWEET POTATOES—I have Nancy Hall seed sweet potatoes for sale. In lots of ten bushels and more, \$1 a bushel.—S. A. Wilson. 42 3p

LOST—Gold link cuff button, round with corners cut on it. Finder return to my office and receive liberal reward. —D. B. Wilson. 1c

LOST—Pearl necklace, last Monday. Finder return to Courier office. 1p

FOR SALE—My home place, about 3/4 of a mile from town, on Troy Road. For particulars see me.—J. C. Ellison. 13fc

FREE!—FREE!

Send me the names and addresses of 10 of your neighbors who own a Victrola, and I will mail you a copy of the latest fox trot with words and music—FREE. Offer limited to the first 10 who answer this ad in each county.

Woodhead's Music Store
Falmouth, Ky. 1p

Typewriters

I have the following used machines for sale—

2 No. 5 Underwoods
1 No. 5 Woodstock

These machines were taken in on the sale of new Royals and are in good condition

HOWARD D. HAPPY
Mayfield, Ky.

Get your supply of otis pin cheek pants at The Live Store.

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In its various shades this new Stetson soft hat for Spring—blocked with an eye to well bred style—will appeal to men who observe care in matter of dress. A really fine hat is an investment that more than pays for itself.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

Thirty-five years ago yesterday, I went into business in this good old town, a mere boy, twenty years of age. All these years you have seen fit to give me a liberal share of your valued patronage, for which I am profoundly grateful. We have had our "ups and downs," high waters, money panics, etc., but we are still here, in business, and expect to remain here until "death us do part." Wishing you one and all, health, happiness and prosperity, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,
T. T. Swayne.

Mrs. J. M. Hubbard left last week for Brookport, Fla., on an extended visit, with her mother and other relatives.

SEED CORN FOR SALE

Have a limited amount of hand-picked, shelled and tested Johnson County seed corn. Those desiring seed of this heavy yielding variety leave orders at Farm Bureau or write me. The price is \$1.75 per bushel, delivered in Hickman. 36-8*

T. H. McMurry.